GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Gram Panchayats – Prakasam District – Cancellation of resolution passed by the Gram Panchayat, Koppolu and De-notification of (8) Gram Panchayats, i.e., 1) Pernamitta; 2) Mukthinuthalapadu; 3) Throvagunta; 4) Koppolu; 5) Narasapuram Agraharam; 6) Pellur; 7) Cheruvukommupalem; 8) Vengamukkapalem in Prakasam District - Orders– Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (Pts.IV) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 12 Dated: 21 -01-2012. Read the following: -

1. G.O.Ms.No.542, PR&RD (Pts.IV) Dept., dt.03-12-2007.

- 2. From the District Collector, Prakasam Lr.Rc.No.E4-4118-2009, dt. 04.01.2010.
- 3. From the C&DMA, Lr.Roc.No. 90/2010-Ele-111, dt. 28.05.2011.
- 4. Govt. Memo No. 14335/Pts.IV/A1/11, dt. 03.08.2011.
- 5. From District Collector, Prakasam Dist, Lr.Roc.No. 2105/09 (Pts) A3, dated 03.09.2011, together with its enclosures

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ORDER:

In the letter 2nd read above, the District Collector, Prakasam District has sent a proposal for up-gradation of Ongole Municipality as Municipal Corporation by merging the surrounding Eight (8) Gram Panchayats i.e., ., 1) Pernamitta; 2) Mukhinuthalapadu including the Hamlet Gudimetlapadu 3) Throvagunta; 4) Koppolu; 5) Narasapuram Agraharam; 6) Pellur; 7) Cheruvukommupalem; 8) Vengamukkapalem including the Hamlet of Kothamamidipalem in Prakasam District through Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration vide letter 3rd read above. All the above Gram Panchayats have not furnished their resolutions.

- 2) Accordingly, In the Memo 4th read above, show-cause notices to all the above Gram Panchayats have been issued asking them as to why the respective Gram Panchayat could not be included into proposed Ongole Municipal Corporation. In response to the show cause notice, the District Collector, Prakasam has obtained the views of all the Gram Panchayats vide letter 5th read above and submitted to the Government that all the above Gram Panchayats have accepted the proposal except Koppolu Gram Panchayat and Pernamitta Gram Panchayat did not furnish their resolution. Hence, it will be presumed that, there is no explanation to offer by the Gram Panchayat, Pernamitta. Further, the District Collector, Prakasam has stated that Gudimetlapadu is the habitation of Mukthinuthalapadu Gram Panchayat and Kothamamidipalem is the habitation of Vengamukkapalem. Hence, there is no need to submit the resolutions of the Gudimetlapadu and Kothamamidipalem, as the Gram Panchayats Mukthinuthalapadu and Vengamukkapalem have accepted the proposal.
- 3) Government have examined the objections raised by the above Gram Panchayat, Koppolu and found that the objections are mere apprehensions without any basis and that there is no substance in any of the objections put forth by the Gram Panchayat. The decision of merging the surrounding Gram Panchayats into proposed Ongole Municipal Corporation have been taken in the larger interests of the people of the area keeping in view of its over all development and to improve better amenities to the public, and hence the Government have felt that the objections raised by the above Gram Panchayat is not maintainable and do not deserve consideration. Therefore, the Government have decided to cancel the resolution passed by the Gram Panchayat, Koppolu and also decided to upgrade the Ongole Municipality as Municipal Corporation duly merging the surrounding (8) Gram Panchayats i.e., 1) Pernamitta; 2) Mukthinuthalapadu including the Hamlet Gudimetlapadu 3) Throvagunta; 4) Koppolu; 5)Narasapuram Agraharam; 6) Pellur; 7) Cheruvukommupalem; 8) Vengamukkapalem including the Hamlet Kothamamidipalem in Prakasam District.
- 4) Government, after careful examination have decided to cancels the Notification issued, declaring 1) Pernamitta; 2) Mukhinuthalapadu including the Hamlet

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Gudimetlapadu 3) Throvagunta; 4) Koppolu; 5) Narasapuram Agraharam; 6) Pellur; 7) Cheruvukommupalem; 8) Vengamukkapalem including the Hamlet Kothamamidipalem in Prakasam District as Gram Panchayat, so as to upgrade Ongole Municipality as Municipal Corporation duly merging the above Gram Panchayats.

- 5) Therefore, the following Notifications will be published in an Extraordinary Issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette dated: 25-01-2012.
- 6) The Commissioner of Printing, Stationary & Stores Purchase, Hyderabad shall publish the following Notification in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette and furnish (30) copies of the same to the Government immediately.

NOTIFICATION-I

In exercise of the powers conferred under sub section (1) of section 246 of the Andhra Pradesh Panchayat Raj Act, 1994 (Andhra Pradesh Act. No. 13 of 1994) the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby cancels the Resolution No.285, dated 22.08.2011 passed by the Gram Panchayat, Koppolu in Prakasam District opposing for merger into the Ongole Municipality so as to upgrade the Municipality as Municipal Corporation.

NOTIFICATION-II

In exercise of the powers conferred under clause (f) of sub-section (2) of Section 3 of the Andhra Pradesh Panchayat Raj Act, 1994 (Andhra Pradesh Act No.13 of 1994) read with clause (i) of sub-rule (1) of rule 12 of the Andhra Pradesh Gram Panchayats (Declaration of Villages) Rules,2007 issued in the G.O.Ms.No. 542, Panchayat Raj and Rural Development (Pts.IV) Dept., dt.3-12-2007, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby cancels the Notifications issued declaring the Villages 1) Pernamitta; 2) Mukhinuthalapadu including the Hamlet Gudimetlapadu 3) Throvagunta; 4) Koppolu; 5) Narasapuram Agraharam; 6) Pellur; 7) Cheruvukommupalem; 8) Vengamukkapalem including the Hamlet Kothamamidipalem in Prakasam District as Gram Panchayats, so as to upgrade Ongole Municipality as Ongole Municipal Corporation duly merging surrounding Eight (8)Gram Panchayats i.e., 1) Pernamitta; 2) Mukhinuthalapadu including the Hamlet Gudimetlapadu 3) Throvagunta; 4) Koppolu; 5) Narasapuram Agraharam; 6) Pellur; 7) Cheruvukommupalem; 8) Vengamukkapalem including the Hamlet Kothamamidipalem in Prakasam District.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

CR. BISWAL PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

Tο,

The Commissioner, Printing, Stationary & Stores Purchase, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj and Rural Employment, A.P., Hyderabad.

The District Collector (PW), Prakasam District.

Copy to:-

The District Panchayat Officer, Prakasam District.

The Engineer –In- Chief (PR), Hyderabad.

The Engineer –In- Chief, (RWS), Hyderabad.

The P.S. to Prl.Secy. to C.M.

The P.S. to Hon'ble Minister (PR&RWS).

The MA&UD (Elec.1) Department.,

The Law (A)Department.

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